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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Dear Sir:

The attached executed declaration is submitted in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office mailed on February 28, 2002, in the above-mentioned case. Also enclosed is a paper copy of the sequence listing, a diskette containing the sequence listing and Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §1.821. A check for sixty-five dollars (\$65) for an oath or declaration surcharge is enclosed. It is believed that no further fee is due to make this filing complete; however, if a fee or

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
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- Priority Document
- Biochemical Sequence Listing
- · Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- · Copy of the International Search Report
- Request for Immediate Examination
- Small Entity Statement

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below:





- The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for the following reason(s):
 - A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).
 - APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE:
 - An initial or substitute computer readable form (CRF) of the "Sequence Listing."
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A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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